

1 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

 A user support system for cryptographic
communication includes a key storage for storing keys
used for deciphering, a deciphering part for
5 deciphering an enciphered communication text into a
deciphered communication text using a key, and a
controller for starting the deciphering part only when
an input communication text is the enciphered
communication text and for supplying the key that is
10 necessary for the deciphering in the deciphering part
by retrieving the key from the key storage.

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